

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Alexander A. SHER *et al.* Confirmation No.:
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Filed: Concurrently herewith Examiner:
For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR DISPENSING Attorney Docket No.: 88265-7417
HOT AND COLD BEVERAGES FROM
LIQUID CONCENTRATES

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Mail Stop PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:


Pursuant to Applicant's duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449 are two (2) references for the Examiner's review. Copies of the references will be provided if the Examiner so requests.

It is respectfully requested that the references be made of record in this application by the Examiner's completion and return of the attached Form PTO-1449.

This Information Disclosure Statement is submitted under 37 CFR 1.97(b)(1), concurrently with the filing of the subject application. Thus, no fee is believed to be due. Should any fees be required, however, please charge such fees to Winston & Strawn LLP's Deposit Account No. 50-1814.

Respectfully submitted,

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*EXAMINER INITIAL	CITE NO.	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
	A1	4,676,401	06/1987	Fox et al.	222	1	
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